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MUR 6596 (Crossroads Grassroots Policy Strategies (GPS))

Dear Mr. Jordan,

On behalf of Crossroads GPS, we respectfully request an extension of time to respond to the Federal Election Commission's letter informing the organization that a complaint has been filed in the above referenced matter. Crossroads GPS received the Commission's letter and accompanying materials on June 25, 2012. A response is currently due July 10, 2012.

We hereby request a thirty-day extension of time to respond, or until August 9, 2012. This extension will permit us to review the complaint and relevant responsive materials, and obtain any necessary statements and affidavits, so that we may respond in an appropriate manner. Accordingly, we respectfully request a thirty-day extension of time to respond to the complaint in this matter.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely.

Thomas J. Josefiak Michael Bayes

Counsel to Crossroads GPS